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號四十二月一十一英港香

PRICE 2/- PER MONTH

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

November 23, PEKING, British steamer, 354 G. Hemingway; Shanghai 20th November, General—SIEMSEN & CO.

November 23, ATLANTA, German str., 789 H. C. Thompson, Wuhs 16th November, Vice—SIEMSEN & CO.

November 23, KONG BING, British steamer, 882, F. W. Phillips, Bangkok 13th November, General—YUEN, FAT HONG.

November 23, OLYMPIA, German steamer, 783, P. Moller, Wampano 23rd November, General—SIEMSEN & CO.

November 23, CHI-YUEN, Chinese steamer, 1,121, W. H. Hunt, Whampoa 23rd November, General—C. M. S. N. Co.

November 23, PARTHA, British steamer, 2,035, Chas. C. Brough, New York 19th Sept., and Singapore 16th November, General—BELL & CO.

November 23, TEEHAN, British steamer, 1,684, Seymour, Nagasaki 20th November, Mail and General—P. & O. S. N. Co.

November 23, ANGERS, British steamer, 2,077, Punchau, Yokohama 3rd November, and Nagasaki 18th, General—ADAMSON, BELL & CO.

CLEARANCES.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.

23RD NOVEMBER
General, British str., for Singapore.
City of New York, Amer. str., for Yokohama.
Nippoo, British str., for Shanghai.
Don Juan, Spanish str., for Amoy.
Fidelio, German str., for Amoy.

DEPARTURES.

November 23, VELOCITY, British bark, for Whampoa.

November 23, CAIRNGORM, British steamer, for Bangkok.

November 23, SANTE, British str., for Bangkok.

November 23, FEDEX, Danish str., for Haiphong.

November 23, ATLANTA, German steamer, for Whampoa.

November 23, PEKING, British str., for Whampoa.

November 23, NINGPO, British str., for Shanghai.

November 23, CITY OF NEW YORK, Amer. str., for San Francisco.

November 23, GLENDALE, British steamer, for London.

November 23, OIGERO, British str., for K'ntoua.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

Per Peche, str. from Shanghai—Mr. F. Summers, and 22 Chinese.

Per Kong Beng, str., from Bangkok—62 Chinese.

Per Parthia, str. from New York—37 Chinese.

Per Teheran, str. from Yokohama—Mr. and Mrs. Russell, Robertson, Hon. A. Chateria, Mrs. Teoh Tang Tai, and 22 Chinese.

Per Ngooi, str. from Bangkok—H. G. Snowden, R. N., Leung Tsun Tong, Loo Tsu Ming and child, Tung Tung Tse, E. H. Sharp, Laikoon, Oo, Keejor, Shun Tsch Shing, Chow Yew Ting, Homasoo, Tso Bun, Cheng Kee, D. H. Mackintosh, Skene, Al Kun, and Mrs. Shun Tsch Shing.

DEPARTED.

Per Fukang, str. for Shanghai—Capt. Friend, and Mr. John Ville.

Per City of New York, str. for Yokohama—Mr. C. E. Miller—For San Francisco—Mr. and Mrs. Shaw Tie, 1 European and 70 Chinese.

TO DEPART.

Per Cathay, str. from Hongkong—for Calcutta—Lord Henry Paulet, For Bombay—Messrs. Novozie Gobin, M. J. Martel, and S. B. Evans—For Madras—H. E. B. Venet—Messrs. L. Standeney and F. W. Leaf. For London—W. and Mrs. Russell Robertson, Rev. J. W. Brewar and family, and Mr. Jas. Macdonall.

REPORTS.

The British steamer *Peking*, from Shanghai 20th November, reports had moderate N.N.W. to N.E. winds and fine weather all the passage.

The British steamer *Parthia*, from New York 18th September, and Singapore 16th November, reports had strong monsoon, high sea and fine weather from Singapore.

The British steamer *Kong Beng*, from Bangkok 18th November, reports from Bangkok 10th Nov. light winds, moderate, plough weather with occasional rain showers, from thence to Cape Padar moderate to strong easterly winds, high and fine weather, moderate easterly swell; from Cape Padar to Parcels moderate moderately with occasional heavy squalls and high head sea, from thence to port strong N.E. winds, cloudy and fine weather with high head sea.

The British steamer *Anvers* reports left Nagasaki on the morning of the 18th November, had strong breeze with rain from the N.E. At 10 a.m. wind increasing to strong gale with high sea. At noon increasing to a heavy gale, fierce breaking sea, from 10 to 6 p.m. experienced a large typhoon, wind force 10, waves constantly breaking over the ship. At 10 p.m. moderate with less sea; towards midnight less wind and sea moderate and fine weather all the way to Hongkong. During the gale part of deck cargo was washed overboard and slight damages were done to the ship.

FOR SALE.

GERMAN BEER, "ZUB EICHES," KIEL.
\$8 per Case of 4 dozen quarts.

EDWARD SCHELLISS & CO., Sole Agents, Hongkong and China. Hongkong, 4th November, 1886. [2073]

FOR SALE.

CHAMPAGNE "MONOPOLE."—HEIDSIECK & CO., MONOPOLE RED SEAL (medium dry).
RED FOIL "Sec" (dry).
Gold Foil "D.R." (extra dry).

CARLOWITZ & CO., Sole Agents for HEIDSIECK & CO., REIMS, For Hongkong, China, and the East. Hongkong, 1st July, 1886. [2124]

FOR SALE.

AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

SACCONI'S SHERRY, PORT, CLARETS, CHAMPAGNE, HOCKS, BURGUNDY, BRANDY, WHISKIES, ALE, STOUT, MACHINERY, LAWN MOWERS, SCALERS, BICYCLES, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISH.

W. G. HUMPHREYS & CO., Bank Buildings, Hongkong, 1st January, 1886. [7]

INTIMATIONS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO's
GLOVE LIST 1886.

(L. C. & Co's SPECIAL MARK)

2 button White Kid, for evening wear.
2 button White Chamois (a light Military
Glove).
2 button Assorted Drab Kid.
2 button Assorted Drab Suede, sown backs.
2 button Assorted Tana, Cheverette, sown backs.

FRENCH CUT GLOVES.

2 button Light Grey Kid, for evening wear.
2 button Tailored Dogskin, wool points.

Spring Fastened, for the top, lined, Cash gloves.

DENTS' ENGLISH GLOVES.

2 closs Assorted Thread Gloves.

White Backed Knit Gloves.

Coloured Ring-wire Knit Gloves.

Fancy Sanganer Knit Gloves.

White Thread Gloves.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

Hongkong, 10th November, 1886. [2086]

W. B. BEEWE R has just received

Lotte's Diaries for 1887.

Lotte's Date Books for 1887.

North China Ruddy Old Block.

Boys' Own Annual, 1887.

Every Boys' and Girls' Annual, 1887.

Little Folks, New Vol.

Native Christmas Cards.

New Stock of American Christmas Cards.

W. B. BEEWE R, Queen's Road.

UNION HONGKONG HOTEL. [2086]

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

Lotte's Diaries, 1887.

The Imperial English & Chinese Diary, 1887, foolscap size, 3 days to page, interleafed.

The Imperial Anglo-Chinese Date-Block, 1887.

Callard and Bowes' Butter Scotch.

Badminton Library—Shooting, 2 vols.

John Morley's Complete Works—Rousseau—Voltaire—Diderot—Compromises—Miscellanea.

How to play it—Hindoo Manual.

Holly's International Law.

Dixon Kemp's Yacht Architecture.

Cassel's Amateur Photography.

Abeys' Photography.

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entertained to dinner by the Elbow of the Kwantung, and the Chinese community in the Town Hall on Monday evening, when upwards of forty members were present. On the following day the Commissioners witnessed the parade of the "Buffs" upon the occasion of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales' birthday. We are informed that the Commissioners intend leaving for Hangchow in one week hence. On the return of the Emperor and the Empress they intend visiting Dayi and Ningbo, and thence continuing their journey as far as Amoy, when their present defined programme will be completed.

PEKING.

12th November.

Rain fell here on the morning of the 6th inst., and was followed by the prospects of the paper-hunting. The Chinese, however, afterwards cleared off leaving the roads in a slippery and rather dangerous condition. On returning from the hunt I was sorry to hear that Col. Denby had sustained some contusions in a fall from his pony. I am now glad to be able to report that he is out of danger and nearly all right again. On Monday evening the November meeting of the Peking Missionary Association was held at the residence of Dr. Martin. There was a very large attendance, and was presided over by the Rev. Mr. Ganevelli, or the President of Stepanian, and recent occurrences there. The officers of the Society for the ensuing year were appointed. An interesting conversation afterwards took place in which a good deal of information about many subjects amongst others the opium trade, the manufacturers of salt, the production of the province, and the state of Ecclesiastical affairs in China.

On the 9th instant Prince Chien-ching and the Minister of the Foreign Office arrived at the College and witnessed some chemical experiments and astronomical observations. This made the second visit which the Minister of the Yamen have paid to the College during the past ten days for the purpose of inspecting its working and mode of government. The visits which this sort would prove profitable even to the Ministers themselves, who strange to say, know little of Western Science considering their constant contact with foreigners, and that the College is situated within the precincts of the Yamen. By making themselves practically acquainted with the working of the College they would be more open to receive suggestions regarding its administration. When the college was established one of the first acts of the Government was to prohibit the students from leaving the country, and that they were prepared to wait several years for the fruit of the work, and they did not intend to be constantly plucking it up to see if it was growing. But that was quite different from neglecting to tend and stimulate its growth.

The Japanese have at last moved down to their new Legation, and on Sunday the 7th, their flag was flying over the building for the first time, adding one more to the number of flags which enlivens the appearance of Legation Street. The foliage on the trees is only now beginning to fall, although the trunks and branches are usually quite bare by this season. The absence of strong winds, and of frost, in fact, the general mildness of the weather accounts for the lateness of the fall. But the roads are in a wretched condition, mud and dirt are to be found on every side, and the people of the model weather, as far as the climate of the French Gate, since spring, the newly paved pathways will not be opened for traffic until the frost sets in. Officials may now be seen riding about on mules, to which they have been in preference to driving in carts.—*N. C. Daily News Correspondent.*

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

TUESDAY, 23rd November.

EROYUH.

Precious metals—L.M. shipped on the 22nd November—For London—24 lbs. 15 oz. 153.627 lbs. counted, 25.541. The cargo included orange peels, 194 lbs. sorts, 125 halves waste silk, 200 packages candles, 1 package silk, 40 pieces preserves, 27 packages sundries, and 8 packages gourds. From Manile—1,329 halves hemp. From Kobe—156 lbs tobacco, and 5 cases curcuma. For South America—851 packages tea, and 150 packages tea.

URUMU.

Quotations are—
New Malwa \$520 per picul, alies. of 9
Old Malwa \$450 per picul, alies. of 9
Older Malwa \$550 per picul, alies. of 3
Fatua (New) \$510 per chent.
Fatua (New) \$450 "

EXCHANGE.

ON LONDON—
Telegraphic Transfer 34/4-3/4
Bank Bills, on demand 34/4
Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight 34/4
Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 35/4
Credits, at 4 months' sight 34/4
Documentary Bills, at 4 months' sight 3/4

ON PARIS—

Bank Bills, on demand 42/4
Credits, at 4 months' sight 43/7

ON NEW YORK—
Bank Bills, on demand 83/4
Credits, 60 days' sight 83/4

ON BOMBAY—
Telegraphic Transfer 22/4
Bank Bills, on demand 22/4

ON CALCUTTA—
Telegraphic Transfer 22/4
Bank Bills, on demand 22/4

ON SHANGHAI—
Bank at sight 73
Private, 30 days' sight 72

SHARJAH.

Quotations are—
Hongkong and Sharjash Bank Shares—176 per cent premium, buyers.

Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited—\$85 per share, sellers.

China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares—\$85 per share.

North China Insurance—Tls. 235 per share.

Yangtze Insurance Association—Tls. 114 per share.

Chinese Insurance Company, Limited—\$120 per share.

Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tls. 148 per share.

Canton Insurance Office, Limited—\$32 per share.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares—\$427 per share.

China Fire Insurance Company's Shares—\$91 per share, sellers.

Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company's Shares—120 per cent prem. buyers.

Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamship Co.'s Shares—\$31 per cent prem. buyers.

Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares—Par, sellers.

China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited—30 per cent discount, nominal.

Douglas Steamship Company, Limited—\$45 per share.

Hongkong Gas Company's Shares—\$125 per share.

Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares—\$186 per share.

China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$115 per share.

Hongkong Ice Company's Shares—\$40 per share.

Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited—\$120 per share.

Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company—\$10 per share.

Punjab and Simla Dus Samarata Mining Company, Limited—\$115 per share, sellers.

Perak Sugar Cultivation Company—Tls. 18 per share.

Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited—\$32 per share.

Hongkong and Macao Glass Manufacturing Co., Limited—60 per cent discount.

A. S. Watson & Co. Limited—\$32 per cent premium.

Singapore Insurance Company, Limited—\$22 per share.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 A—2 per cent premium.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B—7 per cent premium.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C—9 per cent premium.

Chinese Imperial Government 1883 Policy Loan—7 per cent premium.

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

(Paco Minors, Passmore & Co's Reserve.)	Normal Heat.	Normal Heat.
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